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Ron Smith
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Subject: Approval of Amended Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations, Ash Grove Cement Company, Nielson Sandstone Mine, M/023/0012, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Smith:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining approves the reclamation cost estimate calculations received February 14, 2014. These calculations were approved March 19, 2014, conditional on receipt of the increased surety which the Division has received. Enclosed is a copy of the calculations stamped approved. This is considered an amendment to the Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations.

Thank you for your cooperation in submitting the calculations and increased surety. Please contact Wayne Western at 801 538-5263 if you have questions regarding this approval.

Sincerely,

Paul Baker
Minerals Program Manager

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cc: Duane Bays, Fillmore BLM (dbays@blm.gov)

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